

# PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT ANNUAL REPORT 2019



Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections  
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## PREA Annual Report 2019 – §115.88

All PREA allegations are tracked through a secured database that can be easily accessed by the State Institutions. Only the aggregate numbers will be reported annually on the DOC website. Information reported will not be indicative of the institution, the victim, nor the aggressor. Anonymity will ensure the integrity of the process and encourage the reporting of all PREA allegations in the future. This practice will also eliminate unjust labeling of any specific institution.

### **ANALYSIS**

During the fiscal year of 2018, there were a total of two hundred and eighty seven PREA related allegations. The number of substantiated, unsubstantiated and unfounded cases have decreased significantly. There is a slight decline in allegations as a whole which can be contributed to the overall implementation of the PREA standards and completion of required audits.

### **CORRECTIVE ACTION**

The Department has implemented PREA and each Institution has adopted rules and regulations for the deterrence, protection, and reporting of prison rapes. These rules include but are not limited to the immediate separation of victim and perpetrator through the use of administrative segregation or suspension pending investigation for employees and if substantiated, the filing of criminal charges against the perpetrator whether staff or offender. The Department has also made anonymous third party reporting available through a toll-free number. Further specialized training has been made mandatory for the Prison Rape Elimination Act, PREA Investigators, and Medical/Mental Health staff to serve as Victim Advocates when necessary. Louisiana Department of Corrections began the audit process and has made changes to the agency regulation to continue compliance with mandatory standards. At this time, each state prison has successfully completed the PREA audit process, each facility obtaining compliance certification.

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LA State Prisons

ALC  
Allen Correctional Center

DWCC  
David Wade  
Correctional Center

DCI  
Dixon Correctional Institute

EHCC  
Elayn Hunt  
Correctional Center

LCIW  
Louisiana Correctional  
Institute for Women

LSP  
Louisiana State Penitentiary

RCC  
Rayburn Correctional Center

RLCC  
Raymond LaBorde  
Correctional Center

# PREA Reported

## Offender-on-Offender Allegations

### Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

#### Total - Offender on Offender Allegations

86 - Offender/Offender Sexual Abuse and Harassment Allegations

32 - Non-consensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Penetration)

0 - Substantiated

15 – Unsubstantiated

17 – Unfounded

22 - Non-consensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Non-Penetrative)

4 - Substantiated

11 – Unsubstantiated

7 – Unfounded

16 - Abusive Sexual Contact Allegations (Intentional Touching)

0 – Substantiated

9 – Unsubstantiated

7 – Unfounded

16 - Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)

1 – Substantiated

10 – Unsubstantiated

5 - Unfounded

# PREA Reported

## Staff-on-Offender Allegations

### Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

#### Total – Staff on Offender Allegations

- 192 - Staff/Offender Sexual Abuse Allegations
  - 118 - Staff Sexual Misconduct Allegations (Sexual Abuse)
    - 3– Substantiated
    - 33 – Unsubstantiated
    - 82 – Unfounded
  - 65 - Staff Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)
    - 1 – Substantiated
    - 35 – Unsubstantiated
    - 29- Unfounded
  - 9- Staff Voyeurism Allegations
    - 1 – Substantiated
    - 1– Unsubstantiated
    - 7 - Unfounded

# PREA Reported

## Civilian-on-Offender Allegations

### Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

#### Total – Civilian on Offender Allegations

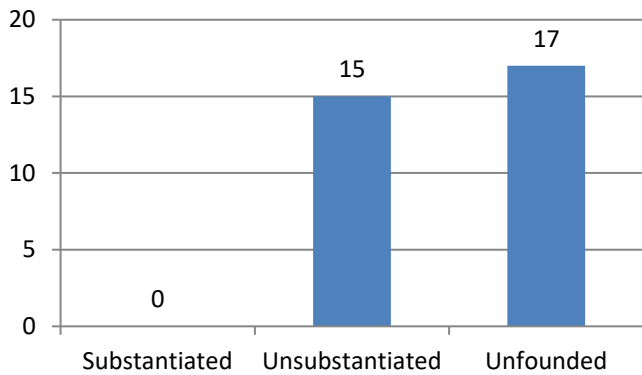
- 2 - Civilian/Offender Sexual Abuse Allegations
  - 2 - Staff Sexual Misconduct Allegations (Sexual Abuse)
    - 0 – Substantiated
    - 1 – Unsubstantiated
    - 1 – Unfounded
  
- 0 - Civilian Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)
  - 0 – Substantiated
  - 0 – Unsubstantiated
  - 0 - Unfounded
  
- 0 - Civilian Voyeurism Allegations
  - 0 – Substantiated
  - 0 – Unsubstantiated
  - 0- Unfounded

\*There are 7 investigations still pending\*

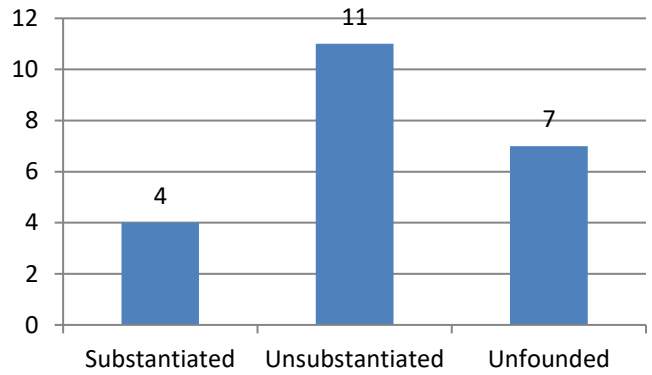
# Offender – On- Offender Allegations

## Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

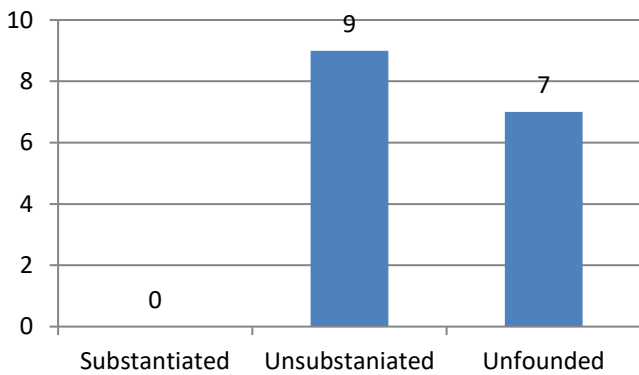
### Nonconsensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Penetration)



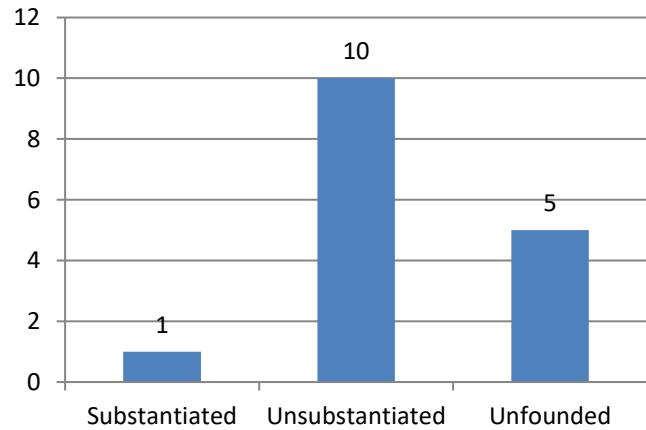
### Nonconsensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Non-Penetrative)



### Abusive Sexual Contacts Allegations (Intentional Touching)

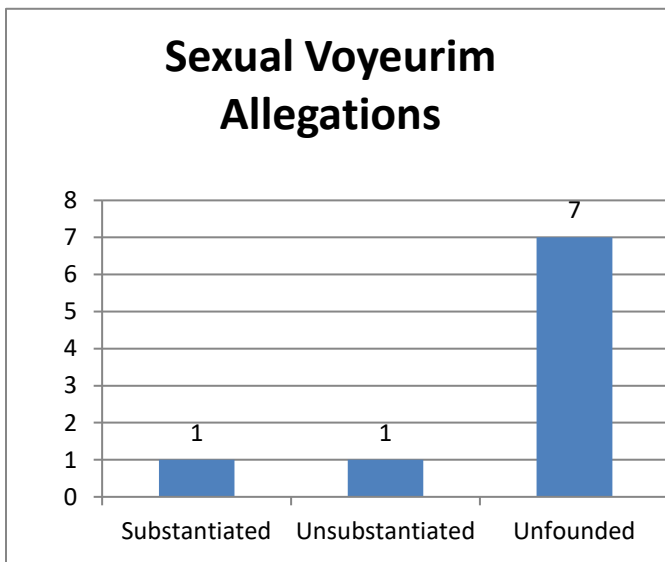
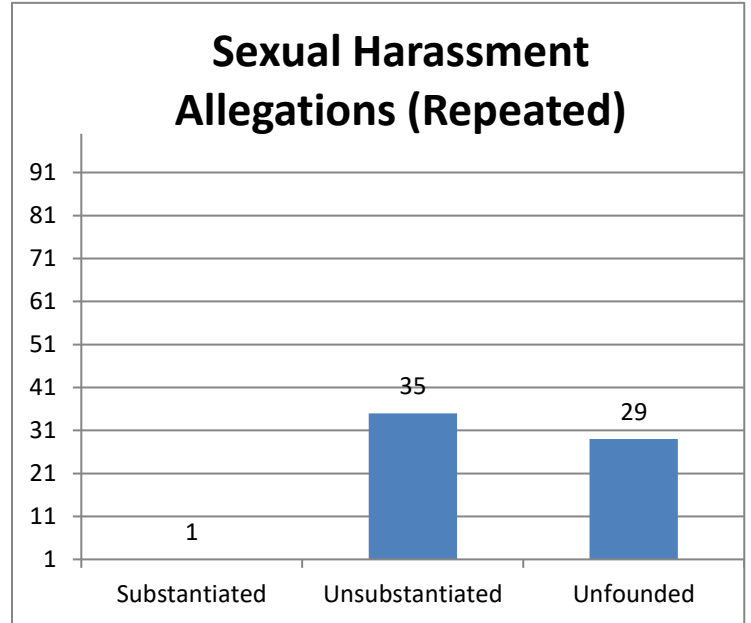
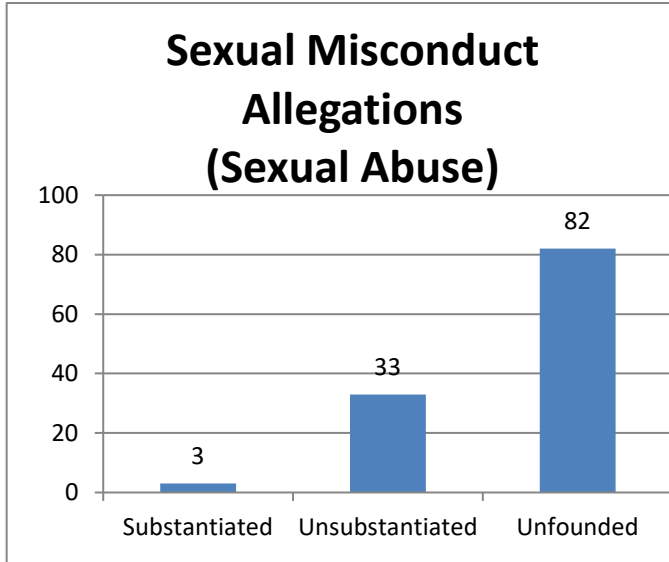


### Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)



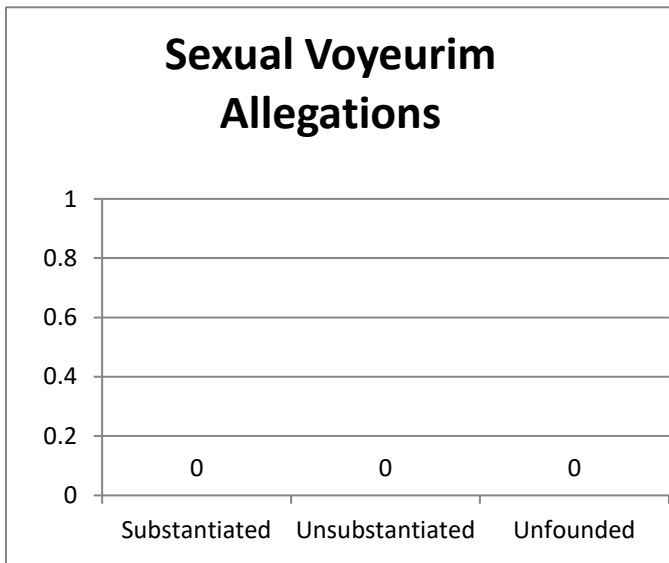
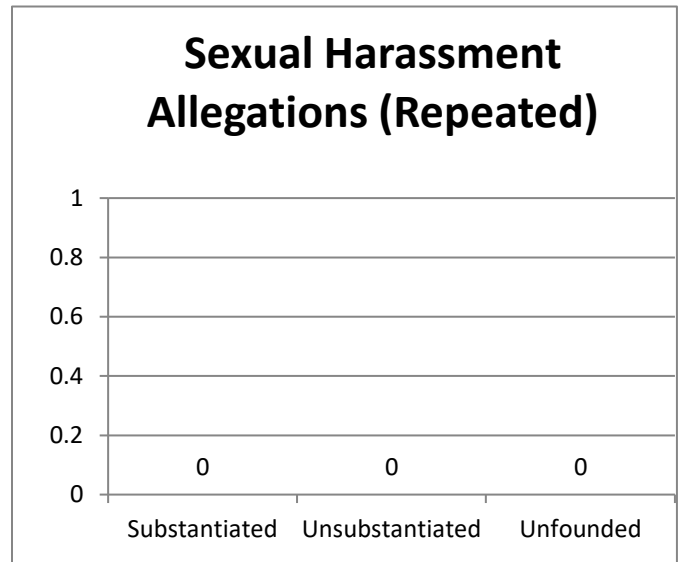
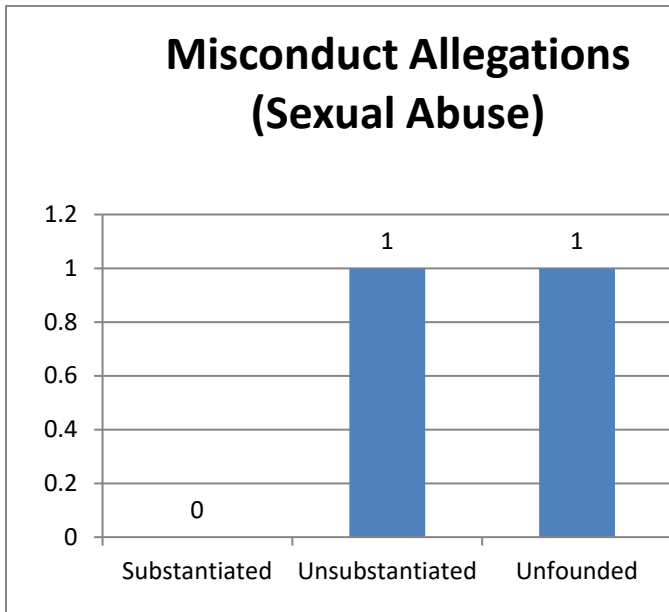
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## Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

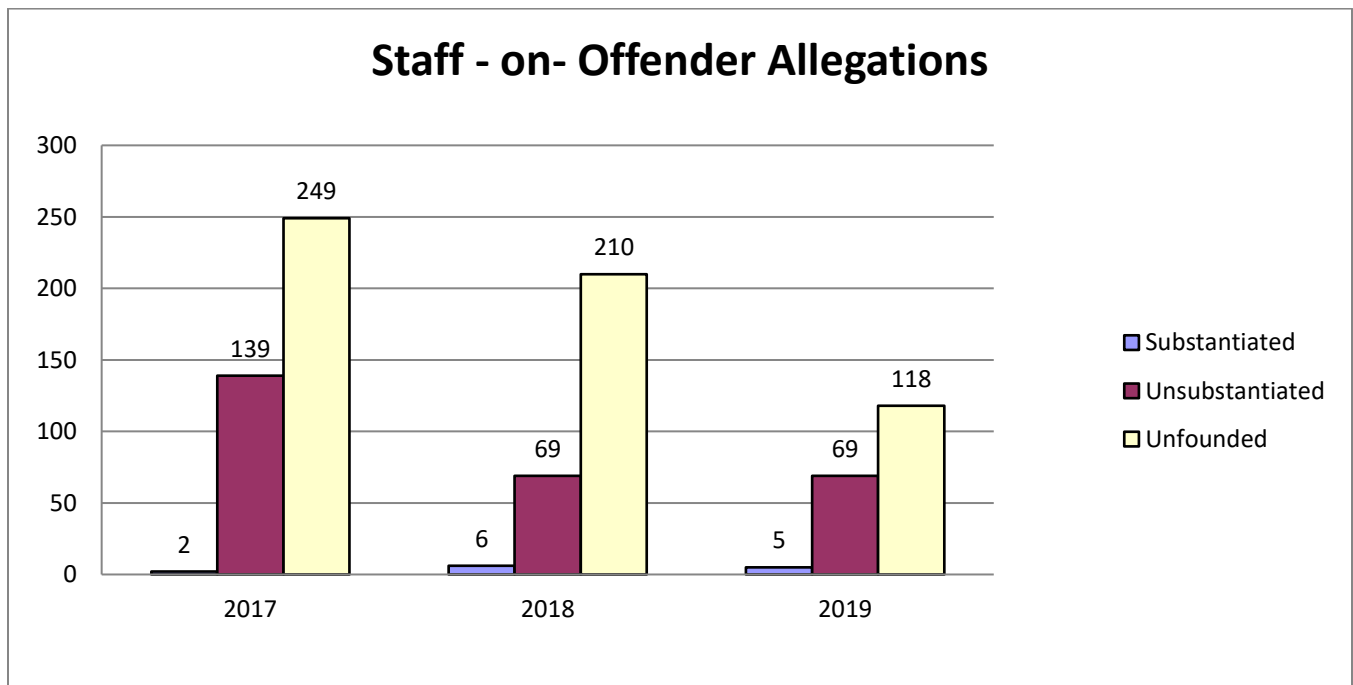
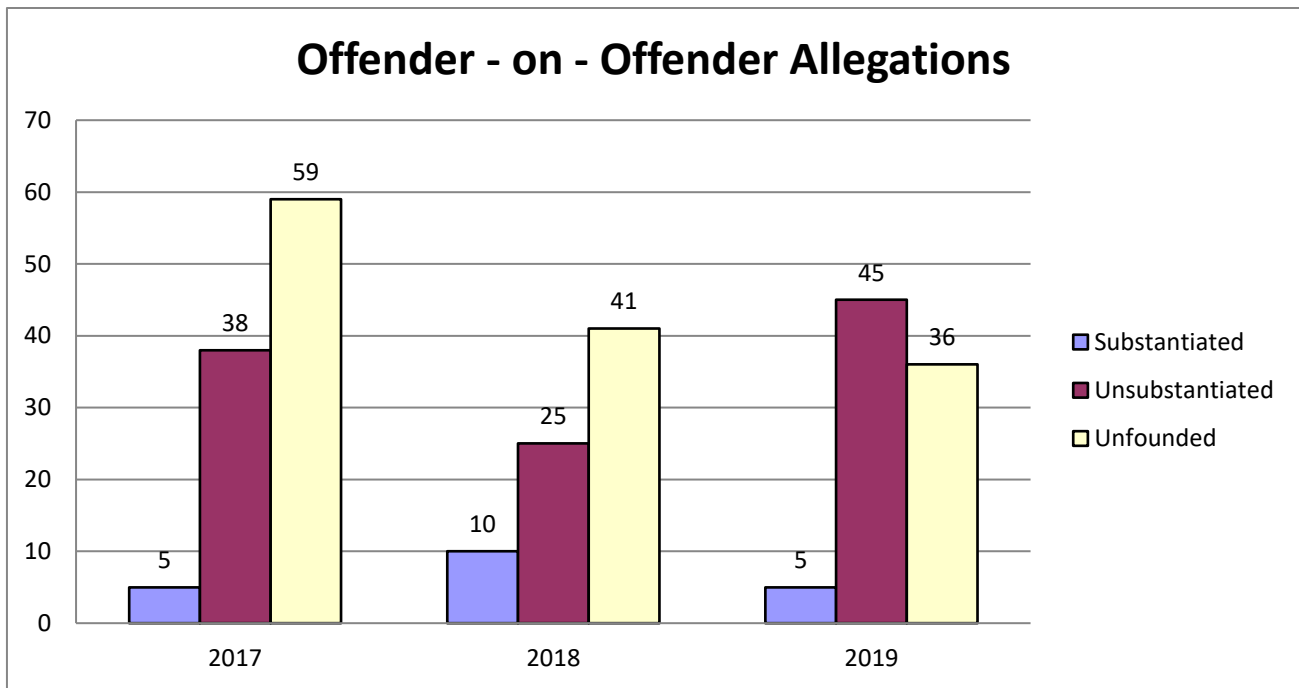




# Civilian – On- Offender Allegations Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)



# Annual Comparison



## Civilian - on- Offender Allegations

